

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Measuring Stress/Expansion

REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

The following remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the final Office Action dated August 22, 2007. **An extension of the deadline for response to the Office Action is respectfully requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and the appropriate fee is submitted herewith.**

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.